# STOCKS TOUCH

#### Prices Go Downward Despite the Lack of Business News of a Disquieting Nature.

NEW YORK, May 27 .- Further spec ulative liquidation was very obvious of which prices were carried to a lower level than has been touched last week. The downward course of prices finds as little in the actual news to account for it as did ie previous advance. When the reactionary movement was once fairly established there came into notice also revived activity on the part of the encouraged bear party in the circulation of report scalculated to prompt selling of stocks and so help on the effort to depress prices. Some such reports to-day were of considerable effect. With various evidences of professional hear operations on an active scale, the disposition to sell stocks became less urgent, and the shorts found themselves less able to cover their commitments when they sought to buy for that purpose. The later resiliency of the market was the natural consequence. tablished there came into notice also

quence.

The easy tone developed in the bond market was of more influence on financial sentiment than even the breaking in stocks. The engagement of more gold for both France and Germany added to the sum which came out of the total of the banks' cash holdings in making up the coming bank strain. in making up the coming bank state-ment, and which has reported a sun-cient figure to make a considerable proportional inroad even on the wide margin of the present surplus.

Bonds were easy. Total sales, par value, \$2,706,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales to-day, 902,500 shares.

NEW YORK, May 27.—Money on call easy: 1 1-2@1 3-4; ruling rate, 1 3-4; closing bid, 1 1-2; offered at 1 3-4 per cent. Time loans quiet and stendy: sixty days, 2 1-2@3 per cent, and ninety days. 2 1-2@3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.8715 \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$ 43.72 for demand, and at \$4.8535 \$\frac{1}{2}\$\$ 1.8550 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills, \$1.871.73. Bars silver, 52. Mexican dol-\$4.84 7-8. Bar silver, 53. Mexican dol-lars, 47.

### RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., May 27, 1908. SALES AT BOARD. Virginia 3s, Oid-1,000 at 5114. A. C. I. R. R. Ctfs. of Ind. 4 p. c.—200 at

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STATE SECURITIES.		Asked
North Carolina 4s, C. 1910	99	4.00
North Carolina 5s, C. 1919	117	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
Va. 3s, C. and R., 1932	91	913
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Cts Cor and Northern 1st 54	96	
Georgia Pac. 1st 6s. C. 1922 Ga., Sou. and Fla., 1945	108	
Ga. Sou, and Fin., 1945	101	
Ga and Ala Con. 58, 1945	96	
Nor and West By 4s 1996	94	
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	108	
South-Bond 1st 8s, 1941 Southern Rallway 1st 5s, Western N. C. 1st 6s, C, 1914.	98	
Southern Rallway 1st 5s	101	• • •
Western N. C. 1st 6s, C. 1914.	106	
Feaboard Air Line 4s, 1950 E. A. L. Col. Tr. 5s, 1911	51	•••
E. A. L. Col. Tr. 58, 1911,	88	
RAILROAD STOCKS, Par Atlanta and Charlotte100	150	
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Atlantic Coast Line com 100	87	200
Ches. and Ohio, Nov 100	4256	***
Norfolls and Western com 100	0.0	70
E. F. and P. Div. Oblig. 100	190	
Southern Railway pfd 100	44	
Southern Railway com 100	16	
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City 25	3115	225
First National	220	
Merchants National 100	500	
National Bank of Virginit 100	144	
National State Bank	170	***
Savings Bank of Richmond, 25	50	
Union Bank of Richmond., 50	190	• • •
INSURANCE COMPANIES.	100	• • •
Virginia Fire and Marine MISCELLANEOUS.	56	***
	90	
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Va -Car. Chem. pfd. 6 p. ct. 100	98	953
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### COTTON MARKET.

CHICAGO, May 27.—The grain markets on the local exchange were irregular to-day, market the May deliveries being strong and more distant options weak. A new high record session mark for the present May option in corn ed easy was made at sic. At the close May corn market Wheat for July delivery was off the. Oats 2 points were the higher. Provisions were 1%c. NEW YORK, May 27.—The cetten market as less active, and while fluctuations were regular the tendency in the late session was made at the market closed eaver the tenyear average. But the advanced the control of the tenyear average. But the advanced the tenyear average and a condition of at loss of 198 points on the old crop earlier and 192 points on the old crop earlier and the market up to a net gain of the lowest size of 198 points on the old crop earlier the control of the lowest size of the lowest siz

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# ThomasBranch & Co.

New York Stock Exchange, New York Cotton Exchange

PRIVATE WIRES TO PRINCIPAL MARKETS.

### OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK. By Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers.

SALES:	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid. Aske	d BAT	ES:	Ореп	High.	Low.	Closing.
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11.50; middling gulf, 11.75; sales, 1,300 No. 3 white (car lots).... Cotton, steady: middling, 110 balos; stock, ceipts, 200 balos; sales, 1,300 balos; stock, \$4,584 bales.

Total to-day at all ports—Net receipts, 16,573 bales; stock, 384,705 bales.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 15,458 bales; export to Great Britain, 4,046 bales; to France, 8,945 bales; to the Continent, 862 bales.

Total since September 1st at all ports—Net receipts, 7,531,872 bales; export to Great Britain, 7,714,952 bales; to France, 506,220 bales; to the Continent, 3,101,639 bales; to Japn, 188,670 bales; to Mexico, 1,549 bales. Cotton, steady; middling, 11.50; gross re-cipts, 100 bales; sales, 1,300 bales; stock,

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET,

CORN—

No. 2 white (car lots).... @

No.3 white (car lots)... \$1

No. 2 mixed (car lots)... @

No. 3 mixed (car lots)... @

Virginia (bag lots)..... 79

QATS—

No. 2 mixed (car lots).... 54
No. 3 mixed (car lots).... 53
No. 2 white (car lots).... 57

CATTLE MARKETS.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stock Vards.)

Richmond, Va., May 27, 1998.

Report of the stock market for the week ending May 251.

Besters, 5% Sec. needlum to good, 5% 6% of the stock market for the week ending May 251.

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NEW ORLEANS, LA., May 27.—COTTON
—Spots were steady with prices unchanged.

Middling, 11½c; sales were 1,400 bales on
the spot and 36 to arrive. Futures opened
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was still an immediate recession in values.
Later reports from the Liverpool spot marset also served as a bearish factor, and
therefore toward the close there was a still
urther tendency on the part of the market
to seek lower levels. At the close, which
was steady, the July option was 2 points
above the close yesterday with the other
active months \$29 points down. Closing
bids: May, 11,23; June, 11,17; July, 11,17;
August, 1e,75; September, 9,50; October,
9,57; November, 9,22; December, 9,22; Januarry, 9,21. CHICAGO, May 27.—CATTLE—Receipts stimated about 12,000 head. Market teady. Steers, \$5,07.30; cows, \$3.3.76,5.75; ceifers, \$5.569.2.55; bulls, \$4,94.75; caives, \$2.500,50; cows, \$3.250,40; colleges—Receipts estimated about 22,40. 1109s—Receipts estimated about 22,40. \$2.50\(\varphi\$.50\); stockers and feeders, \$3.25\(\varphi\$.5.40\). Hogs—Receipts estimated about 22,-600\) head. Market steady to strong, Ch4\(\varphi\$c\), heavy, shipping, and butchers, \$5.40\(\varphi\$c\), 55.5\(\varphi\$c\), 56.5\(\varphi\$c\), 56.5\(\varphi\$

Coal Operators to Store Ten Million
Tens of Coal.

PHILADELPHIA. PA. May 27.—Anthracite miners numbering 140,000 men are to be given steady employment, and not a day will be lost to them if the rapidly maturing plans of the operators are carried out.

The three-year wage agreement under which the miners are working expires on April 1, 1909, and it is the desire of the operators to store before that time not less than 16,000,000 tons of various sizes of hard coal, in anticipation of prolonged disagreement over the terms of the next wage settlement.

There is very little hard coal in storators are mow, for the production since the industrial depression began last October has been greatly restricted. Since the lower wholesale prices went into effect on April 1st the demand from dealers nas been so great that the stock of domestic sizes has been kept at a low ebb.

There has been some accumulation of smaller sizes, but this is expected to be absorbed quickly when the large industrial plants resume full operation. Because of those conditions it is said authoritatively that coal prices will not be reduced further.

COAL MINES TO RESUME lambs, \$5.75@4.60; yearlings, \$4.50@4.65.

NEW YORK, May 27.—BEDVES—Receipts, 1,526 head. Steers slow; prime and choice grades steady; others 10c. lower, Cemmon and medium buils, 10@15c. lower except for fat stock. Pressed heef slow at \$150m14c. Calves—Receipts, 4.4680 head. Common and medium closed 25@50c. lower, Veals, \$5.50@7.50; few selected lots, \$7.25; buttermilks, \$2.70. Dressed calves slow; city dressed, \$\$\pi\$1.50 bressed, \$\$\pi\$2.50 bressed, \$\$\pi\$3.50@5.00; yearlings, \$5.50@6.00; lambs, \$5.55@5.758.3.7. Hogs—Receipts, \$7.419 head. Market steady. NEW YORK, May 27.—FLOURI—Steady with a moderate trade. Rye Flour and Cornmeal—Firm. Rye—Firm. Wheat—Ensy, No. 2 red, \$1.04 elevator. Options 14 Gigc. net lower. May, \$1.06; July, \$1.00%; September, 95%c. Corn—Steady, No. 2 red. \$1.00%; September, 95%c. Corn—Steady, No. 2 red. Lylly, 774%c.; September, 85c. Onts—Firm; nixed, 54c.

Beng and Cit Mosts—Steady Lead—

July, 774%c.; September, 85c. Onts-Pirm. mixed, 54c.

Beef and Cut Meats-Steady. Lardulet. Tailow-Steady. Pork-Steady. Lardulet. Tailow-Steady. Pork-Steady. Rosin-Quiet. Turpentine-Quiet at 45c. Rice-Steady. Sugar-Haw, firm; fair remining, 43.75@3.83. centrifugal, 85 test, 4.25 @4.33; molasses sugar, 53.50@3.80. Coffee-Quiet; Ric, No. 7, 6%c.; Santos, No. 4, 85.8 %ic.; mild, quiet; Cordova, 29%212%c. Futures net unchanged to 5 points hisher. Butter-Steady; creamery third to first, 18 %12c.; pracess, common to special, 18 %22c. Eggs—Steady and unchanged. Potatoes, Cabbases-Easy and unchanged. Potatoes, Cabbases-Easy and unchanged. Cottonseed Oli-Berley steady with demand poor. Prime crude, 28%28c; 2jime summer yellow, 43% 28c; prime summer yellow, 28% 28c; prime summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 48c; prime white, 47% 49c.; of summer yellow, 43% 65cc.

PORT OF RICHMOND, MAY 27, 1908.

ARIMOND, MAY 27, 1908.
ARRIVED.
Steamer Brandon, Harney, Norfolk, merchandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line.
Schooner Nora Phillips, North, Rappahannock River, corn and wheat, Warner Moore & Co.

Steamer Brandon, Harney, Norfolk, mer-chandise and passengers, Old Dominion Line. Steamer Pocahontas, Graves, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandise and pas-sengers, Virginia Navigation Company.

Manufacturers of trunks and bags re-port slightly increased sales. Rail-roads report decreased business and many cars are idle. Considerable ac-

# BALTIMORE, MD., May 27.—PLOUR—Dull and unchanged. Wheat—Firmer; spot, contract, 934:69995c; do., No. 2 red, western, \$1,004;61:005; southern on grade, \$240;60:51:005; Corn—Firm; spot, mixed, 742:6743;c; No. 2 white, 75:6783;c; southern white corn, 79c. Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 565;6785c; Rye—Firmer at 92:699c; Butter—Firm and unchanged; fancy imitation, 20:6:21e; do., creamery, 25:6726c; do., ladie, 18:619c; store packed, 16:671c. Eggs—Steady and unchanged at 15½c. Cheese—Firm and unchanged; large, September, 13½c; new, flats, 11½c; new, small, 12½c; 50:gar—Unchanged. EVERY SUNDAY **EXCURSION**



Round \$1.50 Trip NORFOLK, Ocean View, Va. Beach

Norfolk 7:00 P. M.

PRIZES AWARDED TO MIDDIES

Douglas Given Trophy Cup and Dague Sword by Athletic Association.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., May 27.—Midshipman Archibald Hugh Douglas, of Knoxville, Tenn., and William Henry Dague, of Fowler, Ind., have been announced as winners of two of the most highly prized awards at the disposal of the Navy Athletic Association.

Colonel R. M. Thompson, "the father of army-navy athletics," as he is known, a number of years ago presented a silver trophy cup, on which is engraved annually the name of the midshipman who during the four years has by his personality and participation done most to uplift and improve the standard of athletics at the institution. This year the executive committee of the association has awarded this distinction to Douglas.

Midshipman Dague will receive the sword presented annually by the athletic association to the man who is adjudged to have made the best general average of excellence in athletics.

For individual work in haudling boats under sail, Midshipman H. H. J. Benson, of Macon, Ga., won the goldmounted binoculars offered by Colonel R. M. Thompson, and Midshipman D. F. Patterson the binoculars for individual work in odrnance and gunnery.

Midshipman H. W. Stephenson, of Lincoln, Neb.; W. W. Smith, of Springfield, N. J., and C. C. Davis, of Pleasant Unity, Pa., were given first, second and third prizes, a gold, silver and bronze medal, respectively. Midshipman Percy W. Northeroft, of New York.

COAL MINES TO RESUME

About 10,000 Men are to Return to

To Issue Bonds.

To Issue Bonds.

BOSTON. MASS., May 27.—The Massachusetts State Board of Railroad Commissioners to-day authorized the Boston and Albany Failroad Company to Issue \$7,000,000 in twenty-five-year per cent. bonds to pay for permanent additions and improvements.

Corn Renches New High Mark.

CHICAGO, ILL. May 27.—May corn to-day in the late hours of trading reached a new high mark for the season. It touched 81 cents and closed at 80, which was 1 1-8 cent above the close of yesterday.

PRIZES AWARDED TO MIDDIES

Ocean View, Va. Beach
Leave Richmond 8:10 A. M. Leave
Norfolk 7:00 P. M.

## Daily Court Record

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United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals reconvened yesterday morning at 10 o'cloelt, with Chief Justice Filler presiding, and District Judges Waddill and Boyd sitting.

Ernost F, Cochran United States attorney, of Anderson, S, C., was admitted to practice in this court.

The following cases were argued: No. 821—W. J. Murray, John Mc. Sween, Avery Patton et al., appellants, vs. Wilson Distilling Company et al., and Fleischmann Company, appellees: on appeal from the Circuit Court at Charleston, S. C. Continued from yesterday. Cause further argued by T. M. Mordecai, of Charleston, S. C.; C. Simeon Hyde, of Charleston, S. C., and Alfred S. Barnard, of Asheville, N. C., for the appellees, and by B. L. Abnoy, of Columbia, S. C., for the appellants, and submitted.

Court adjourned until this morning

of Columbia, S. C., for the appellants, and submitted.

Court adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock. The following cases are in the call to-day:

No. 817—W. F. Snipes, plaintiff in error, vs. Southern Railway Company, defendant in error; in error to the Circuit Court at Columbia, S. C. To be argued by E. J. Best, W. Boyd Evans, L. D. Melton and George R. Rembert, of Columbia, S. C., for the plaintiff in error, and by Abney & Muller, of Columbia, S. C., for the defendant in error.

No. 808—Roxana S. Ker, plaintiff in error, vs. George D. Bryan, collector,

No. \$08—Roxana S. Ker, plaintiff in error, vs. George D. Bryan, collector, defendant in error; in error to the Circuit Court at Charleston, S. C. To be argued by J. P. K. Bryan, of Charleston, S. C., for the plaintiff in error, and by Ernest F. Cochpan, United States attorney, of Anderson, S. C., and T. W. Bacot, assistant United States attorney, of Charlestoa, S. C., for the defendant in error.

Law and Equity Court.

Case on trial: Mary Bradson vs. Virginia Auction Company for \$150 damages; verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$10.

Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$11 in case of Lee Jones vs. Frank Cooper's administrator.

ministrator.

Judgment for plaintiff in the sum o \$352.79 in case of Old Dominion and Western Lumber Corporation vs. L. D. Moore.

# A REMARKABLE FAMILY

# Alaska

## Refrigerators

In every store you go to the salesman invariably says his Refrigerator is the best, but if you ask him how long he has been selling his Refrigerators hell tell you that he's only handled it from one to four or five years, and perhaps this is his first year. Now we can tell you that we've handled the Alaska year in and year out for the past eighteen years, glying perfect satisfaction to every customer. We don't have to change the Alaska on account of it giving poor satisfaction. The Alaska is better made to-day than it was eighteen years ago, and lots of those we sold eighten years ago are giving satisfaction to-day.

Buy an Alaska and you buy right Work in Fairmont District.

CUMPERLAND, MD., May 27.—All the coal mines in the Clarksburg and Fairmont region operated by the Fairmont Coal Company and the Clarksburg Fuel Company will be worked to their full capacity for four days this week, and beginning next week the mines will be operated in full all the time. Preparations for resumption in full are about completed, and from 7,000 to 10,000 men are affected.

This announcement is very important, considering the fact that the mines have been averaging only two days a week for a long time. The resumption, is due to the lake trade demands, averaging 240,000 tons a month.

How to-day.

Buy an Alaska and you buy right
—you buy the best in the world. All
sizes—grocers', butchers' and private family sizes in stock, and the
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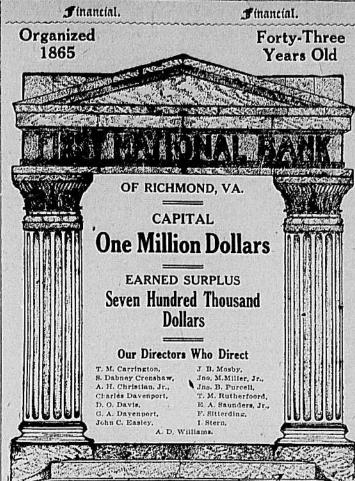
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